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STRENGTHENING OF INTERNATIONAL SECURITY

Letter dated 12 June 1992 from the Permanent Representative
of Portugal to the United Nations addressed to the
Secretary-General

I have the honour to transmit herewith the text, in English and French,
of a statement of the European Community and its member States on Thailand,
issued at Lisbon and Brussels on 9 June 1992 (see annex).

I should be grateful if you would have the text of the present letter and
its annex circulated as a document of the forty-seventh session of the General
Assembly under item 69 of the preliminary list.

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Permanent Representative

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Annex

STATEMENT ISSUED AT LISBON AND BRUSSELS ON 9 JUNE 1992
BY THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY

[Original: English and French]

The European Community and its member States recall their statement of 20 May 1992 on the recent tragic events in Thailand and welcome the positive political developments which have been taking place, namely, the constitutional amendments scheduled for discussion in Parliament on 10 June 1992. The European Community and its member States remain concerned that a number of civilian demonstrators are still unaccounted for and urge the Thai authorities to take the appropriate steps to restore the confidence of the Thai people in their Government.

The European Community and its member States therefore hope that the future Thai Government will respect human rights fully and express the wish that efforts will be intensified towards a peaceful and democratic development in Thailand.

The European Community and its member States urge all parties concerned to refrain from taking actions that may jeopardize the ongoing democratic process and work together for a lasting peaceful solution. They express the hope that a resolution of the present political uncertainties will open the way for the development of closer and stronger links with a democratic Thailand, which will contribute positively to peace and stability in the region.
